

# The Bobcat Bulletin

Buck Lake Elementary School  
October 2021

## Principal's Message

Dear Bobcat families,

I would like to ask for your help with our after-school dismissal. The most important thing we do every day is making sure that our students are safe as they arrive at school, stay safe while they're in class, and get home safely. Lately, we have been having some issues with our Gathering Place located at the front of the school. The Gathering Place is intended for families who live in adjacent neighborhoods who are walking home. It is not intended for parents to drive to the front of the school to bypass the car pick-up line.

We have had an increase in the number of students at the gathering place and an increase in the number of parents picking up by car at the front of the school. I have asked our Security Monitor and our Resource Officers to not permit parents to park in the front of the school to pick up students from the gathering place. If this impacts your family, please make other arrangements so we can keep all our students safe. Thank you for your help!

Sincerely,  
William Millard  
Principal



## Contact Information

Please make sure your contact information is up to date with us. We also encourage you to sign up for our List Serv for up to date information:

<http://listserv.leon.k12.fl.us/scripts/wa.exe?SUBED1=bucklake-parents&A=1>

You can also stay up to date by visiting our website: <http://www.leonschools.net/Page/9> our PTO's Facebook Page (Buck Lake Elementary PTO), and our PTO's website: <https://bucklakeelementary.com/>



10/12-PTO Board Meeting @ 5:30 p.m.  
10/13-Wear PINK!  
10/15-End of 1<sup>st</sup> 9 weeks  
10/18-Planning Day, No school for students  
10/20-Picture make up day  
10/25-Boosterthon Kick Off  
10/27-Report Cards home  
10/25-10/29-Character Education Week



## Partner Spotlight

We'd like to highlight a few different partners each month. This month's Proud Partners are:

Small Cakes  
Skate World

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CHARACTER EDUCATION SPIRIT WEEK

OCTOBER 25<sup>TH</sup>-OCTOBER 29<sup>TH</sup>

Monday: "Good Character is Always in Style"



Students dress up from any decade. (Also the 50<sup>th</sup> day of school!)

Tuesday: "Team Up Against Bullying"



Students wear their favorite sports attire.

Wednesday: "Bobcats are Red-y to Make Positive Choices"

Students wear the color red.



Thursday: "Let Your Kindness Shine Bright"



Students wear bright or neon colored clothing items.

Friday: "Bobcats Have Great Character"

Students dress up as their favorite book character.



*Congratulations to our Campus Teacher of the Year*



Rachel Ryan

*Congratulations to our Glenn-Howell Distinguished Educator*



Norine Mitchell

*Congratulations to our School-Related Employee of the Year*



Jennifer Brown



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